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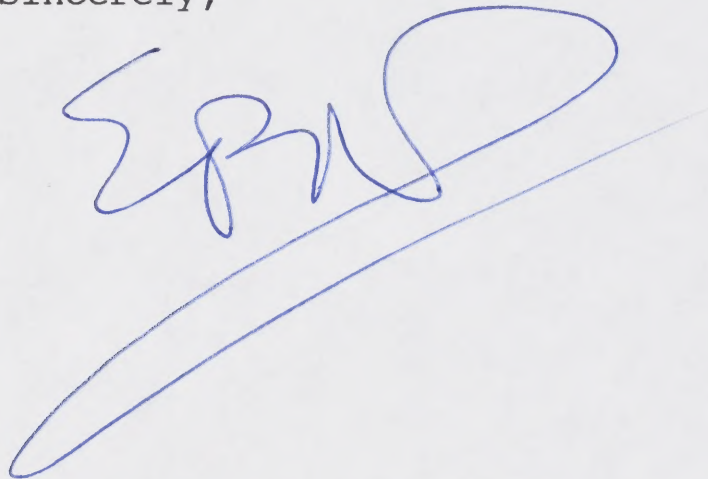
Dear Mr. Warshawsky:

In Numismatic News for October 1, 1996, p. 22 you list the copper Myddleton token in you top ten coppers. You say there are about 20 plus in silver, but do not indicate how many there are of the rarer copper pieces. What information do you have on the number of copper ones ?

As to the coin being only a pattern so are the Jefferson cent and 1787 New York piece in your list.

Please answer this reader with any inforamtion you can find.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "EPN", with a long, sweeping horizontal line underneath it.

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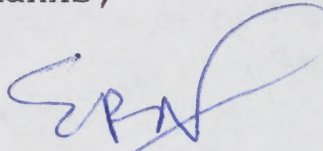
Dear Jan:

Thank you for the October 18, 1996 response to my inquiry about the number of copper Myddeltons. I am glad you have sought auction records but wonder how duplication can be avoided if the records are spread.

Since writing you a festschrift has been published containing an article by Breen written in 1986 or 1987. It covers Myddelton and refers to Dick Margolis as a source. It states 7 copper pieces were made. It is not clear if more were struck in silver or in copper. The copper estimate of Breen is probably a guess, just like his guess that others may have been struck later. Margolis is writing an article on the subject and indicates that the 7 were all that were struck prior to 1819.

Let me know what you find.

Thanks,



Eric P. Newman